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Applicant: Hidefumi NAKATA	Art Unit: 2815
Serial No.: 09/989,962	
Filed: November 21, 2001	Examiner: Jose Diaz
Title: MIM CAPACITOR AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR	

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement issued on February 24, 2003, Applicant elects Group I, including Claims 1-5 and 11 for prosecution in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant hereby reserves the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution

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of the non-elected claims 6-10 and 12.

Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 27, 2003


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Examiner Diaz,

Please find attached a Response to Restriction Requirement for U.S. Application No. 09/989,962.

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